

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re National Stage of International Application No.)
PCT/EP2002/008383 under 35 U.S.C. § 371 of:)
Guojun DAI et al.) Group Art Unit: 3663
Application No.: 10/522,246) Examiner: Eric BOLDA
371 Date: August 5, 2005) Confirmation No.: 8809
PCT Filed: July 26, 2002)
For: OPTICAL FIBER FOR RAMAN)
AMPLIFICATION)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450
Sir:

STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.133

Further to 37 C.F.R. § 1.133, Applicants file this statement describing the substance of the telephonic interview held with the Examiner and the undersigned on October 24, 2007. Specifically, the undersigned discussed in detail with the Examiner how the RCE Submission dated October 12, 2007, amended and added claims so as to incorporate the elements of dependent claims 32 and 33, which were indicated as allowable in the Office Action dated January 30, 2007. The undersigned requested the Examiner to contact the undersigned if the Examiner believed any new matter was inadvertently added while amending the claims so as to discuss any possible Examiner's amendment.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: November 19, 2007

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